

## HAVE NOTABLE DAY DOWN IN NORFOLK

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### DOHERTY MAKES ADDRESS

Labor Commissioner and Hon. Charles T. Bland Pay High Tributes to Unions.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NORFOLK, VA., September 4.—The celebration of Labor Day was one of the most notable events in the history of organized labor in this section. The programme arranged by the general committee several weeks ago was carried out as far as the weather conditions would permit and no hitch occurred.

In honor of the occasion, all the public buildings, banks and nearly all the business houses were closed, giving the city a holiday appearance. The retail houses that remained open in the morning closed at 1 o'clock, and those clerks who had been kept from participating in the parade joined in the festivities in the afternoon. Although the day promised rain from the time the sun first peeped over the eastern horizon, the crowd that gathered on the streets to witness the parade was made up of men, women and children, and was one of the largest ever seen on Norfolk's thoroughfares.

### Exercises at Ocean View.

As soon as the parade was over a great rush was made for Ocean View where the exercises were concluded. The athletic contests began shortly after 3 o'clock and continued until the rain put a stop to the programme.

The results were as follows:

One hundred-yard dash was won by Mr. H. R. Burchard in fifteen seconds. Mr. R. L. Erick, second, and Mr. George Folt, third.

The barrel race for fifty yards was won by Mr. H. R. Burchard in eight seconds. Mr. S. W. Justice was second and Mr. R. L. Erick, third.

The fat man's race for fifty yards was won by Mr. J. G. Brownley in ten seconds. Mr. E. A. Murphy was second and Mr. Walter Loden, third.

The standing broad jump was won by Mr. P. Carlisle, distance, seven feet and seven inches. Mr. H. B. Drake was second, with seven feet and six inches, and Mr. R. L. Erick was third, with seven feet four inches.

The pole climbing was one of the features of the athletic events, and was won by Mr. Frank Helvin. The staff was thirty-five feet high, and he reached the top in thirteen seconds. Mr. V. Reynolds did the trick in fourteen seconds and Mr. J. C. Moore followed with fourteen and a half seconds.

### The Speaking.

The speaking took place in the Casino about 5 o'clock, and the theatre was filled to its capacity. Mr. C. H. Perry, of the Central Labor Union, presided, and in a few remarks introduced Mr. Charles T. Bland, of Portsmouth, who spoke on "The Progress and Development of the Labor Movement." His remarks were well delivered, and frequently interrupted with applause and cheering.

Next he was followed by Mr. Commissioner Doherty, who paid a high tribute to organized labor.

United States Senator Thomas S. Martin and Congressman Claude A. Swanson, Virginia's next Governor, did not attend the Portsmouth-Newport Labor Day celebration at Pine Beach yesterday, but there was no lack of less distinguished persons. The Senator and the next Governor were looked for up until about 4 P. M., at which time they were expected to have addressed the celebrators; then they did not appear.

Next he spoke on the programme at Pine Beach was postponed, including the marriage of a union couple.

### NEWPORT NEWS.

#### Labor Day Very Quietly Observed There Yesterday.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., September 4.—Labor Day has been very quietly observed here to-day. Business has been suspended, and the city has presented its Sunday appearance throughout the day. The ship yard closed down Saturday at noon, and all of its employees were home for the day.

The only events here during the day were two base-ball games between teams representing this city and Seaside, one played in the morning and another this afternoon.

A large number of people went over to Pine Beach during the day, and to-night a large number journeyed to Buckroe Beach to witness an elaborate fireworks display.

### PETERSBURG.

#### Labor Day Generally Observed There—Many Excursions.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., September 4.—Labor Day was generally observed in a holiday here. The retail and banking business was suspended, and all manufacturing establishments were closed. Hundreds of people—white and colored—went away on excursions or picnics. An immense crowd went out to Fernside Park in the afternoon to witness the varied entertainments provided there, and to-night to enjoy the free display of fireworks.

### Roanoke's Observance.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., September 4.—Labor Day passed off quietly. The only accident occurring was during a ball game, a ball striking Mr. B. Taylor and breaking his nose. The parade was smaller than on previous Labor Days. The boiler makers were awarded the first prize, and the second prize was given to the painters second, machinists third. Brief speeches were made on the fair grounds by ex-Governor J. Hoge Tyler, L. E. Whorter and Mayor Cuthbert.

TYLER'S, First and Broad.

## School Clothes.

The best place to buy the best school suit for your boy is at Tyler's. During this week you can save almost half on any boys' suit you buy. Remodeling the children's department the cause of these low prices.

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Julian W. Tyler  
First and Broad.



## AMERICA LIVING TOO FAST, SAYS HE

Governor Glenn, of North Carolina, Sounds Note of Warning.

### GREAT DAY AT SALISBURY

Ringing Speeches and Manly Sports Mark the Festivities.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY, N. C., September 4.—Labor day was fittingly celebrated here to-day by ten to twelve thousand people. The grand parade at 10 A. M. was largely participated in by the numerous labor unions here and at Spencer, comprising several thousand men engaged in all branches of trade, including machinists with floats, tournament riders, bands, rollers, bartenders, carriage workers, electric workers, retail clerks, sheet metal workers, railway carmen and the speakers and invited guests.

The principal speakers and guests of honor for the day were Governor R. B. Glenn, of North Carolina, and Hon. J. B. Hawkins, a member of the Legislature of Tennessee.

Governor Glenn was introduced by President R. E. Lufsey, speaking for the various labor organizations represented in Salisbury and Spencer. The Governor spoke for an hour upon the paramount labor problems of the present day, and announced his position on matters of labor in no uncertain terms. He said he believed in all kinds of honest labor, and is in favor of eight hours work, night of sleep and eight hours of pleasure and recreation.

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### Athletic Sports.

The afternoon was given to athletic sports, horseback tournaments and baseball.

Over Aden'sville won a snappy game of ball from Spencer by score of 2 to 0. John Robinson, of Spencer, won the first prize of \$35 in the tournament sports.

To-night a boxing bout of six rounds was given by Big Tony, of Mexico, and Spike Hennessy, of New York; a wrestling match between Sharpley of Philadelphia, and Murphy, of Rowan county, together with a grand display of fireworks closed the festivities of the day.

### AT CHARLOTTE.

#### A Handsome Trades Parade and Other Features.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 4.—Despite threatening weather, Charlotte witnessed a notably enthusiastic celebration of Labor Day to-day and the city was thronged with crowds from country and nearby towns. The celebration took the form of a big trades parade with three bands, many handsome floats and a civic and military pageant. The objective point of the procession was Vance Park, where the crowd heard addresses by Mr. Victor C. Terry, of Raleigh, and Mr. Cameron Morrison, of the local bar.

The afternoon was given over to amusements and contests in which handsome prizes were at stake. Later the crowds

## RAIN AT RALEIGH.

It Interfered to Some Extent With Labor Day Observance.

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RALEIGH, N. C., September 4.—Rain militated somewhat against the observance of Labor Day here to-day, but there was a barbecue given by the various labor organizations at the State Fair Grounds, while at Follen Park there was a contest by old-time fiddlers for the championship of North Carolina and for a money prize. State Treasurer Lacy, State Auditor Dixon and ex-Congressman Nichols being the judges.

### Celebration at Greensboro.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GREENSBORO, N. C., Sept. 4.—The observance of Labor Day here surpassed anything of the kind ever before known. The bands and almost all the stores were closed and large crowds witnessed the parade and heard the speaking. W. E. Faison, of Raleigh, was the principal speaker. Besides numerous and elaborate floats, there were five hundred members of the various unions here in the procession on foot.

The parade was halted when it was discovered that a team of union was marching behind a non-union band. Committees went into a conference on a street corner. The trouble was adjusted and the parade resumed.

### Labor Day at Georgia.

(By Associated Press.)

COLUMBUS, GA., September 4.—Labor Day was celebrated here to-day, and generally observed over the whole State. The leading stores and business houses, banks, wire-houses, city and county offices and all public places were closed. Woodland Park was the mecca of the people, and thousands went there. There was speaking there this morning by Mayor Campbell, Hon. G. Gunby Jordan, of this city, and Hon. Joe Hill Hall, of Macon. An elaborate programme was carried out. There was no disturbance.

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The speaker from Princeton University, the working man. He paid his respects to the government and to the legislature, and urged his hearers to study the conditions that surrounded them. In conclusion he said:

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### WOMEN WANTED TO GO TOO

Decree of Central Federated Union Only Thing That Stopped Waitresses.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, September 4.—Fifteen thousand workers marched under streaming umbrellas in New York's Labor Day parade to-day.

Although the rain poured with tropical precipitation, only a slight order from the union leader prevented an even larger number of workers from marching through the deep puddles which collected on the asphalt of upper Fifth Avenue. The members of the Waitresses' Union, who had prepared to march, attired in white dresses and shoes and carrying parasols, were determined to march in the parade that resulted in a decree of the Central Federated Union, declaring that it was unbecoming for women to tramp in sloppy streets, to deter them, in the men's unions not only did the workers march, but many of them were followed by small sons, uniformed like their fathers.

### DAY IN CHICAGO.

Great Union Labor Parade Was Feature of Celebration.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, September 4.—Ideal weather conditions prevailed here for the observance of Labor Day. The union labor parade, numbering many thousand marchers, was the chief attraction.

The magnitude of the procession was a surprise. The marchers started shortly after 10 A. M. and moved on one-half hour past a given point. Among the notables near the head of the line was Cornelius P. Shea, leader of the recent big strike of the teamsters in this city.

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### Non-Union Drunks.

A few drunks, who, it is only fair to say, were not in the parade, had the appearance of a flock of birds moving slowly and warily as they moved. After the dust cleared away, Ralph Ludwig was handed two tickets to the Academy and Leslie Engleking two to the Bijou.

Major Chestwood then stepped off one hundred yards with true military precision and a dozen sprinters faced the tape. It was the race of the day, and when Mr. Joe Bozzelli crossed the line ahead, Roman cheers made the tree leaves rattle.

Mr. Bozzelli remarked casually to a group of admiring friends that it was "like eating soup."

A wrestling match for a "three-dollar" prize was the next attraction. Mr. "Bull" Bowers again demonstrated his prowess by throwing Mr. Bozzelli and Mr. "Cotton" Ford, both of whom had an eye on the prize.

The company then repaired to the dancing pavilion, where the great champion waltzing contest was "pulled off." So great was the interest manifested that it was as much as one's life was worth to crowd through the gate, beyond which Mr. Jarden and his musicians discoursed inling music.

Chairman Heltz made a neat talk in announcing the contest, after which he gave way to the master of ceremonies, by Professor Miller and Mr. Woodley. The contest was a real one, and the crowd was a real one. The contest was a real one, and the crowd was a real one.

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